



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Dr. Jürgen Engelbrecht

Serial No. 09/455,651

Filed: December 7, 1999

Invention: Adhesive System for Silicones

Group Art Unit: 1755

**LETTER ACCOMPANYING AMENDMENT**Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a Notice to File Missing Parts for filing as of this date; kindly also make of record the following fee calculations for amended claims:

**INDEPENDENT CLAIM FEE:**

- ( ) ZERO This case contains no more than three total active independent claims. No fee is needed.
- (X) ZERO The total number of independent claims does not exceed the total number previously paid for in this case. No fee is required.
- ( ) \$ \_\_\_\_ The total number of independent claims has been increased by \_\_\_\_\_. A fee of \$39 (\$78) for each of the claims in excess of three is included.

**TOTAL NUMBER OF CLAIMS FEE:**

- ( ) ZERO The total number of claims in this case does not exceed a total of 20 claims. No fee is needed.
- (X) ZERO The total number of claims paid for is not increased. No fee is needed.
- ( ) \$ \_\_\_\_ The total number of claims paid for exceed 20 and the number of claims has been increased. (The fee is calculated as \$9 (\$18) for each excess claim.)
- Total number present now: \_\_\_\_\_
- Previous maximum paid for: \_\_\_\_\_
- Excess number of claims: \_\_\_\_\_

**MULTIPLE DEPENDENCY PENALTY FEE:**

- (X) ZERO No multiple dependent claim is present in this case or a multiple dependence claim has been paid for previously. No fee is required.
- ( ) \$ \_\_\_\_ A multiple dependent claim is now first presented in this case. A fee of \$130 (\$260) is required as a multiple claim penalty fee.

**EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION:**

- ( ) ZERO This paper is filed within the shortened statutory period for response. No fee is required.
- (X) \$ 435.00 Applicant hereby petitions for an extension from the date of the Examiner's Action as follows:
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| ( ) | Extension for response within first month  | \$55 (\$110)    |
| ( ) | Extension for response within second month | \$190 (\$380)   |
| (X) | Extension for response within third month  | \$435 (\$870)   |
| ( ) | Extension for response within fourth month | \$680 (\$1,360) |

- (X) \$ 435.00 Our check in the amount set forth is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 6/7/00

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